

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA  
ATLANTA DIVISION**

**WILLIAM RUSSELL,**

**Plaintiff,**

**vs.**

**FREESE II, INC. and DAVID L.  
WHORTON,**

**Defendants.**

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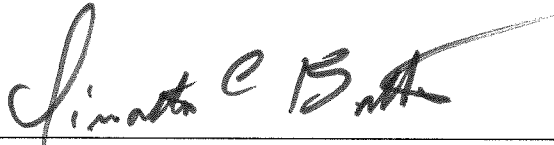
**Civil Action Number:**

**1:14-cv-00192-TCB**

**ORDER**

The above-styled case is before the Court on the Parties' Joint Motion for Review and Approval of Settlement and Release Agreement. The Parties have requested that the Court review and approve their proposed Settlement Agreement because it includes a release of claims arising under the Fair Labor Standards Act, 29 U.S.C. § 201, *et seq.* The Court has reviewed the proposed Settlement Agreement and finds that it is a fair and reasonable resolution of the Parties' dispute. Accordingly, the Parties' Joint Motion is **GRANTED** and their Settlement Agreement and Release is **APPROVED** and incorporated herein. This Court shall retain jurisdiction over this matter until the terms set forth in Paragraph 1 of the Settlement Agreement have been complied with.

IT IS SO ORDERED, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April 2014.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Timothy C. Batten, Sr.", written over a horizontal line.

TIMOTHY C. BATTEN, SR.  
U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE